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WM. LAUT

GET READY for the DUCKS!

Season Opens September 1st

We have a large Stock of the following makes of Shells, all this seasons output:

12 GAUGE SHELLS

Sovereign, per box	\$1.25
Eleys	1.25
Canuck	1.35
New Club	1.10
Nitro Club	1.65

10 GAUGE SHELLS

Nitro Club, per box	\$1.75
Eleys	1.35
Sovereign	1.35

16 GAUGE SHELLS

Regal, per box	\$1.10
Sovereign	1.10
Eleys	1.00
Nitro Club	1.40

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Regular saving will soon show a handsome balance in the depositor's account. It may be difficult for you to come to the bank always when you want to deposit. Send in deposits by mail—they will be as carefully handled as though you handed them over the counter.

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320 acres, 2½ miles from Carstairs, two-story House, 28 x 28. Large hip-roof Barn, worth \$2500. All well fenced and cross fenced. 50 acres fenced for Hogs. 50 acres cultivated. Good Well and Spring. Land slightly rolling. Good Dairy Farm. Price \$30.00 per acre.

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Money to Loan.

Local and General

Quite a number of our townspeople made the trip to Calgary the first of the week to take in the sights and a view of the Prince of Wales.

Mrs. W. McRory arrived home again on Sunday last, after spending a vacation at Victoria and other coast points.

Dame rumor says that the McKay Bros. have under consideration the building of a new up-to-date garage.

A reception was held at the home of Mrs. W. Tims on Thursday of last week, when a few friends were invited to afternoon tea. The occasion being to introduce Mrs. Dave Cuming to the ladies of the neighborhood.

For Quick Sale, list your land with D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

Several visitors are in town this week. The doctor has his brother and wife spending a vacation with him. Mrs. McLeod is host to Mrs. Borton, of Dog Pound, and Mrs. McFarlane has had two sisters-in-law visiting her.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Sept. 21st, 1919.
(14th Sunday after Trinity)
10 a.m. Sunday school.
11 a.m. Holy Communion.
The Rev. J. P. Dingle will officiate.

Mr. Macbeth, of Killam, has been appointed Telephone Agent at the Crossfield office. Mrs. Smart taking his place at Killam.

Capt. Wile is preparing for the coming winter, he is having a hot air furnace installed. Lloyd McRory has the contract.

UNION CHURCH, CROSSFIELD

Rev. R. K. Swenerton, B.A., B.D., Pastor.
Mr. S. Willis, Musical Director.
Mr. A. Knox, Sunday School Superintendent.
Sunday School & Bible Class 2 p.m.
Preaching Service at 7.30 p.m.
The Pastor will preach next Sunday. Bible study and Life Service meeting every Tuesday night at 8 o'clock. Choir practices Thursday night at 8 o'clock. Concert, Friday the 26th, at 8.30 p.m. Rally Day Service, Sunday, Sept. 28th, 7.30 p.m. when Sunday School will assemble.

Women's Institute Library.—The Library Committee have purchased some new books which will be ready for circulation at once.

Pigs for Sale.—Thos. Fitzgerald, Phone 408.

The Women's Guild met at the home of Mrs. Fox on Sept. 4th, seven members were present. Mrs. G. McLeod, President, presided. A Thanksgiving Dinner is now under discussion, if all necessary arrangements can be made. Announcement later. The next meeting will be on Thursday, October 2nd, at the home of Mrs. McLeod. As this is the annual meeting all members are requested to be present.

Florence Willis, Secy., pro tem.

Private Funds to Lend.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alta.

Wanted by the Village of Crossfield, a Scavenger.—Particulars from W. McRory, Sec. Treas.

The CROSSFIELD CASH STORE

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PEABODY'S & NORTHERN
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FRESH FRUITS
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Success generally comes to those who go looking for it, and the man with a substantial Savings Account is always in a position to grasp good opportunities for investment or advancement.

Save! Open an account with this Bank at once. Interest paid at current rate.

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CROSSFIELD BRANCH.

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Crossfield CASH MEAT MARKET

Fresh and Cured Meats and Fish always on hand.

Good Variety of Smoked Meats at the Lowest possible Prices

We are always open to buy Beef Cattle or Stockers. If you have anything to sell call and see us. Best prices paid.

Phone 24. Highest Price Paid for Hides and Poultry.

TIMS & CUMING, Props.

CROSSFIELD DISTRICT CO-OPERATIVE ASSOCIATION U.F.A. LIMITED.

INSURANCE!

\$15.00 out of every \$100.00 you pay for Insurance goes to your own Association, if you place it with the Co-op.

CHICKEN'S

Let us explain how we can handle your Chickens.

Hens 18c., Chicken 27c. this week, and chance for Dividend later.



Back To School

The schools' summer holidays are over for another year, and teachers and pupils are again occupying their places in the little schoolhouses all over this prairie country, where the real foundations of Canada's future citizenship are being laid.

But while the teachers are in their places, something more than ten thousand of them in the three Prairie Provinces, it is important to ask and answer the question whether all the boys and girls are again in school who ought to be there.

Compulsory school attendance laws are in force in these provinces, under which it is obligatory on parents and guardians to send their children to school until a certain age is reached. These are wise laws, designed to prevent future citizens from growing up to young manhood and womanhood not only uneducated, but illiterate.

In this western country boys and girls are wisely compelled to learn to read, write and speak English and master the rudiments of a primary common school education.

Every year, however, some thousands of boys and girls reach the age when the compulsion of the law enforcing school attendance is lifted, and it becomes a matter to be decided by the fathers and mothers, whether Charles or John or Susie shall return to school, or whether they will be kept at home to help on the farm or in the store or about the house, or be allowed to go out and "get a job" and thus help to keep the family.

It is a critical decision fathers and mothers are called upon to make. Boys and girls, usually, are anxious to get away from the discipline, routine and what so many regard as the drudgery of school. It is not until later years that they look back upon their school days as the happiest, most carefree days of their lives. In their teens, however, they are anxious to go out into the world and begin life's great adventure. It is the parents who must decide wisely for them.

After all, as one observer has said, it is just a matter of arithmetic. If a boy is just ready to enter high school he can probably earn six or eight dollars a week for the first year and an average of ten, twelve or fifteen dollars a week for the next three years. That is to say, he can

earn from \$1,500 to \$2,500 if he stays away from school.

But take the other side of the ledger. If the boy continues to go to school for another three years he will be able, at the end of his course to earn on the average more than the boy who dropped short of the high school, and he will be able to earn it for the thirty or forty or fifty years of his earning life. The balance in money is on the side of the boy who returns to school.

Then comes along the pessimist and the job's conlitor, and says: "Well, if he goes back to school and gets cram full of book learning what will it profit him? Does not a plumber earn more than a schoolmaster, and a carpenter more than a clerk?

And of what particular value will a high school education be to John as a farmer or to Susie as a farmer's wife?" These are unfair arguments and illogical. The trained carpenter and the skilled plumber having the backing of a good education soon forges ahead of his fellow carpenter or plumber who left school before he was half-way through. It is the educated man who succeeds in business for himself while the uneducated ones become his employees. And in this age and generation it is not necessary to dwell on the fact that successful farming has become a highly organized business undertaking, a really scientific undertaking in the carrying out of which ignorance and slipshod methods can have no place, but in which the trained, intelligent, thinking men is pre-eminent.

But everything should not be measured by the money standard, for there is no better opportunity in life for happiness, for contentment and for service, for the boy or girl possessing the qualifications and powers which a good education confers upon them? There is a place in the life of the community, the Province, the Dominion which only the educated can fill, and in these days, and in the years to come, service to our country and to our fellow men is going to count.

Parents must ask themselves the question whether, by withdrawing their children from school before they have secured the advantages of a high school education, they are going to deny to them the opportunity of fitting themselves for the rendering of self service, and of attaining the place in the life of their country, which they may otherwise be exceptionally well qualified to fill. The fathers and mothers of today are the trustees of the future citizenship of Canada. With them rests the decision now which may make or mar their children's future. It is a tremendous responsibility. The wise decision will be to keep their boys and girls at school just as long as they can possibly do so, and thus give to them the best possible equipment for their life work, no matter to what lot or sphere of action they may be called.

Minard's Liniment Cures Dandruff.

Nephew Abjures Kaiser

Detroit.—The former Count Johann Wilhelm von Loewenfeld Brandenburg, Hohenzollern, a resident of Detroit since 1911, and a nephew of former Emperor William, is now Vaughn Linnett. His name was changed in probate court. Mr. Linnett has his first naturalization papers and says he "is through" with his European relatives.

WHY BEAUTY FADES

A Condition Due Entirely to Poor, Watery Blood

The girl who returns home from school or from work thoroughly tired out will be fortunate if she escapes a physical breakdown, because this getting tired so easily is probably the first warning symptom of a thinning blood that must not be disregarded if her health is to be preserved.

When the blood becomes thin and impure the patient becomes thin, pale, haggard and angular. She not only tires out easily, but suffers from headaches, palpitation of the heart, dizzy spells and a loss of appetite. This condition will go from bad to worse, until perhaps fatal consumption sets in, if prompt steps are not taken to increase and enrich the blood supply. To make the rich, red blood that brings the glow of health, no medicine yet discovered can equal Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It gives a fair trial the use brings rose cheeks, bright eyes, a good appetite and good spirits. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have made thousands of pale, languid girls active and strong. On the first signs of poor thin blood, mothers should insist upon their daughters taking a fair course of these pills. They will not only restore health, but will save further doctor bills.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills can be obtained from any dealer in medicine, or by mail at 50 cents a box, or six boxes for \$2.50, from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

A Shower

Jinks: "You look dreadfully battered. What's happened?"

Bink: "Wife has been pelting me with flowers."

Jinks: "Why, that wouldn't mark you in that manner."

Bink: "Oh, they were in the pots."

"Cold in the Head"

To all acute attack of Nasal Catarrh. Persons who are subject to frequent "colds in the head" will find that the use of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will build up the System, cleanse the Blood and render them immune to colds. Protracted attacks of Acute Catarrh may lead to Chronic Catarrh. HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE is taken internally and acts through the Blood on the Mucous Surfaces of the Nose.

All Druggists 75c. Testimonials free. Write for name of HALL'S CATARRH MEDICINE will not fail.

F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, Ohio.

Isn't it a fact that the congregation of a wide-awake preacher is seldom caught napping?

Asthma Brings Misery, but Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy will replace the misery with welcome relief. Inhaled as smoke or vapor, it reaches the very innermost recesses of the bronchial passages and soothes them. Restriction passes and easy breathing returns. If you knew as well how this remedy would help you as do thousands of grateful users, there would be a package in your home tonight. Try it.

Flax Survey in Ontario

Toronto.—A personal survey of the flax situation in Ontario made by Mr. Justus Miller, field crop specialist of the Department of Agriculture, reveals the fact that the crop this year is only a fair one, at least one-third of the yield being too short to pull. This quality will be made into Scotch tow, and the remaining two-thirds of the crop will be made into fiber. There are in all 50 flax mills in the province, and these are operated by 33 companies. The growers expect to ship about 9,000 bushels of seed to Ireland.

5,000 LIMERICK PRIZE

The winning of it can't ease the pain of the corn, but "Putnam's" will ease, cure and prevent corns and warts. Guarantee goes with every bottle of "Putnam's." Use no other, 25c at all dealers.

Figures on Strike Losses

Ottawa.—According to figures prepared by the Canadian Department of Labor, a total of 14,127,220 days have been lost through strikes from 1901 to 1919. Putting the minimum wage at \$3 a day, the department estimates that the working men of Canada have lost at least \$43,000,000 during the period, though no estimate is made of increased wages secured through the strikes.

The total number of strikes was 2,127, involving 597,735 employees.

Disappearing Hair

"I think the baby has your hair, ma'am," said the new nurse, looking pleasantly at her mistress. "Gracious!" exclaimed the lady, glancing up from her novel. "Run into the nursery and take it away from her. She will ruin it!"

It's up to you to have the best!

The man who buys an inferior article is the loser in the long run. It's the long run that counts.

THE HOT STORM HEATER

Burns Any Kind of Coal.
Heats the Floor Like a Base Burner.
Can be Supplied Equipped with a Double Heating Attachment, heat Upstairs as Well as Down.
Not an Ordinary Heater, but Two Heating Systems in One—A Hot Air Furnace built inside a Heating Stove.

THE HOT STORM HEATER HAS A RECORD OF 50 HOURS ON ONE CHARGE OF COAL.

Made in Three Sizes:
No. 453 — Height 38 in. — Fire Pot 14 in. Diameter
No. 454 — " 31½ " " " 16 " "
No. 455 — " 64 " " " 18 " "

Double Heating Attachment Extra
Please See This Heater at your Dealer's. Full Particulars will be sent you on request.

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Altered Cases
"Where's your watch?" asked the observant man.
"Why, here it is," replied the man whose prosperity had slipped back a cog recently.
"But that's a silver one. The one you used to have had a handsome gold case."
"Well — er — circumstances alter cases."

As a verminicide there is no preparation that equals "Mother's Worm-Esterminator." It has saved the lives of countless children.

The Moth and the Clothes
Society Woman: "I see by today's papers I am referred to as one of 'fashion's butterflies.'"
Her Husband: "Considering the way you go through clothes I should think moths would apply better."

Propaganda Funds From Russia
Washington.—Russian soviet interests apparently are supplying funds for a propaganda to stir race antagonism in the United States, according to information now in the hands of the department of justice.

Minard's Liniment Cures Burns, Etc.

The average woman would consider life a success if she could find just one man who would make love to her without either shocking her with his suddenness or wearing out her patience with his inertia.

PILES

Do not suffer another day with itching, bleeding, smarting piles. No surgery, no medicine. Dr. Chase's Ointment will relieve you as soon as you apply it. It is guaranteed. Write for free trial and full particulars. No money back unless you are cured. No postage.

National Educational Conference

Twelve outstanding addresses by the best known public men and women of Canada, the United States and England.

REPRESENTATION is being asked from every public organization in Canada. If any organization is being overlooked, let us know. In addition ample provision is being made for individuals who will attend the conference in their own capacity.

Address Any Inquiries to

The Convening Committee

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Winnipeg, October 20-21-22

A dish you'll always relish

At breakfast or lunch with either milk or cream

Grape-Nuts

fills a requirement for nourishment not met by many cereals.

No cooking No waste

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 ARMY MEDICAL CORPS.
 All Curable Diseases Successfully Treated.
 To Get Better HEALTH Have CAUSES TREATED, Not SYMPTOMS.

Strayed.**\$5.00 Reward**

Lost.—A BLACK MARE, bobbed mane and tail, branded on left thigh H-4. A reward of \$5.00 will be given for recovery of same. Notify Chronicle Office, or Phone 302, Crossfield.

Stray

Stray.—On the premises of Mr. Mathers, Airdrie (S.W. 1/4 13-27-1, W. 5), one Red Cow, three years old, no visible brand; one Red Steer, branded on left hip; one Bay gelding, 10 years old, weight about 1,000 lbs., branded on the right shoulder.

J. L. McRORY,
SHEET METAL WORKS.

Stock Troughs, Tanks,
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 Window Glass,
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CROSSFIELD, Alberta.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETING of the above school Board will be held at the School House at 10 a. m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November.
 All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.
 The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Crossfield Drug Store.

A. R. THOMAS, Chairman.
 Merrick Thomas, Sec.-Treas.

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 Highest Prices Paid
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 Government and Provincial
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EASTMAN KODAKS,
FILMS,
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 For Sale by
MERRICK THOMAS, Druggist

**\$250.00 REWARD**

WILL BE PAID

FOR INFORMATION

That will lead to conviction of anyone criminally taking or disposing of any Cattle or Horses owned by undersigned.

Brand Cattle Left Hip.
 Mark square crop each ear, with wire in stub. Registered horses branded and numbered right side of neck.
 G. F. STOOKE.

Education Pays
On The Farm

Statistics show that farmers who have had an education make larger incomes than those who have received but little schooling.

An education is more necessary now than it was thirty years ago. Then, farmers cut their grain with a cradle, bound it by hand and threshed it with a flail. They ground their grain between stones and lifted the water out of the mill in buckets. They treated their non-descript cattle for "hallow horn" and "wolf in the tail" and planted their grain "sin the moon." The horses and the ox were their only means of transportation. The farm houses had no conveniences; houses were lit with candles, the kitchen equipment consisted chiefly of hand work.

Now, the farmers have larger farms. They cut and bind their grain with binders and thresh with engine driven separators. They frequently plow with tractors and many own automobiles. They select improved types of breeding animals and feed their stock in accordance with knowledge derived from the chemistry of foods. The farm houses have been greatly improved.

To keep up with the times and to make the most money from the farm one should know how to farm in accordance with the most improved methods. You can learn these methods at the Old School of Agriculture. Education pays, you can learn in a few months what it would take years of experience to give you. Talk with any ex-student regarding the value of the course.

Classes in Agriculture and Domestic Science commence on October 20th.
 For particulars write to:
 F. S. GRISDALE, Principal,
 School of Agriculture,
 Olds, Alberta.

Auction Sale**Sale of Village Lots**

On authority of the Minister of Municipal Affairs, the Council of the Village of Crossfield will offer for sale by
PUBLIC AUCTION
 At the Office of the Secretary-Treasurer, in Crossfield, on

Wednesday, October 15th, 1919

At Three o'clock p.m., the following PARCELS OF LAND, forfeited under Tax Enforcement proceedings, viz.:

Lot.	Block.	Plan.
23	2	4504 I
8	3	3702 R
9	3	4504 I
10	3	3702 R
4	14	4504 I
8 & 9	4	4504 I
11 & 12	4	4504 I
13	4	4504 I
3	24	1632 R
19	23	1632 R

Terms made known at time of sale.
 Dated at Crossfield,
 this 15th day of September, 1919.
 W. MC RORY,
 Sec.-Treas., Village of Crossfield.

Legal Notice**DOMINION LANDS****Increase in Rate of Interest.**

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the provisions of an Act to amend the Dominion Lands Act, passed at the last Session of Parliament, and commencing from the 7th July, 1919, where interest is chargeable, the rate of such interest on all new transactions in connection with Dominion Lands shall be six per centum per annum; also that from the 1st of September, 1919, the rate on all overdue instalments in connection with both past and future transactions will be increased to seven per centum per annum.

By order,

L. FERREIRA,

Secretary.

Department of the Interior,
 Ottawa, August 26, 1919.

MAIL CONTRACT

SEALED TENDERS, addressed to the Postmaster General, will be received at Ottawa until noon, on Friday, the 20th September, 1919, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed Contract for four years, twice per week on the CROSSFIELD RURAL ROUTE No. 1, from the Postmaster General's pleasure. Printed notices contain further information as to conditions of proposed Contract may be seen and blank forms of Tender may be obtained at the Post Office of Crossfield, and at the Office of the Post-Office Inspector:

D. A. BRUCE,
 Post Office Inspector.
 Post Office Inspector's Office,
 Calgary, 13th August, 1919.

LICENSED AUCTIONEER

The undersigned who conducted over 20 successful sales last year, wishes to notify the Farmers and general public of the Crossfield district that he is open for engagements for

Any Kind of Auctioneering
 in any part of Alberta.
 Will call at the Farms for listing sales at any time.

Farm and Ranch Sales a Specialty
 Satisfaction Guaranteed.

References: The Union Bank, Cochrane.
JOE TAYLOR,
 Cochrane, Alberta.
 P.O. Box 283 Phone 1011, Cochrane.

\$10 REWARD

Lost.—One bay Mare, weight about 1,000 lbs. 3 years old, white star on forehead and left hind foot, white and black mane and tail, tail cut straight. No brand. Last seen about two miles south of Crossfield.

JACOB V. NEUFELD,
 Sunnyslope, Alta.
 Finder please keep the mare in pasture and notify by mail.

NOTICE.

We have still a few of Dr. C. J. Korinek's veterinary Books. The Veterinarian's are published at \$2.50 each, in order to dispose of the remainder of these valuable books, we will sell them at less than cost, 50c. each. Anyone who has the handling of horses, cattle, swine, sheep and poultry can't afford to be without one of these books, while they last, at 50 cents each.

Chronicle Office, Crossfield.

Estrays

Estray.—On the premises on N. J. Wigle, 11, 28, 29, w. 4, one black gelding about 7 years old, hind feet white, white strip on forehead, some grey on side of face. No visible brand.

N. J. WIGLE.

Estray.—One sorrel Horse or Gelding, aged, white star on face. Branded on right shoulder, also 1 bay Mare, 6 years old, weight about 1,200 lbs. Branded on left shoulder—
 On N-E 1/4 s. 23, tp. 28, rg. 2, w. 30.
 G. McLeod, Brand Reader.

Estray.—On Sec. 13, Twp. 28, R. 28, w. 4th, one Brown Horse, about 4 years old, weight 1,100 lbs. unbroken. Branded—C on left hind foot.

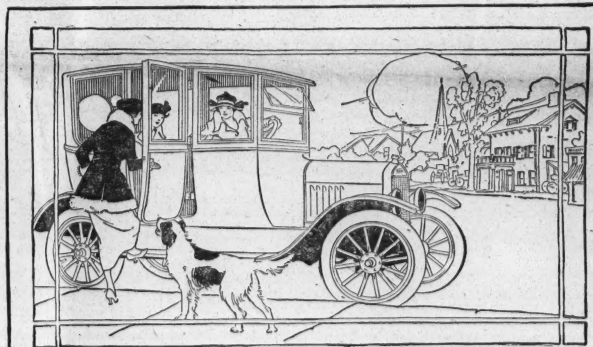
G. McLeod, Brand Reader.

Estray.—On S-E 1/4 of 10, 28, 1, w. 5, one Brown Mare, 8 years old, weight 1250 lbs. Wire cut on right shoulder. Star on face. Laune on left hind foot. No visible brand.

G. McLeod, Brand Reader.

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PRICES—Including Electric Starting and Lighting, Ford Sedan \$2175. Ford Coupe \$2175. L. & B. Ford, Ont. (War tax extra.)
 Remountable rims, tire carrier and non-skid tires on rear as optional equipment on closed cars only at \$25.00 extra.

Leslie Farr, Dealer, Airdrie.

Miners In Britain Are Still Restless

London.—The situation of the coal question now is that the Miners' Federation has unanimously rejected the government's plan for working the mines in favor of nationalization. They have, however, left it to the Trades Union Congress, to be held at Glasgow on September 8, to decide whether there shall be direct action by the miners or whether constitutional means shall be employed to secure nationalization of the mines.

This means, in the opinion of the competent judges, that direct action will not be taken. The miners nevertheless, are said to be flirting with the idea and will endeavor to induce the labor triple alliance—the miners, transportation workers and railwaymen—to order another ballot of its members on the employment of direct action against conscription and military interference in Russia.

Messrs. Smillie and Brace, in recent speeches, both strongly intimated that it would be a mistake to assume that direct action had been abandoned, and urged the government not to drive the miners to extremes.

Point acutely is given to Mr. Brace's declaration that coal is more important than gold by figures issued by the Board of Trade, showing steady decline week by week in the output of coal, from nearly 5,000,000 tons the week ending May 31, to just a little more than 2,500,000 tons for the week ending August 9. The greatest reduction in output was in Yorkshire.

Significant Shuffle In Cabinet

Hon. Arthur Sifton Now Minister of Public Works

Ottawa.—A small, but, in a way, significant shuffle in the cabinet took place, when Hon. Arthur Sifton, former minister of customs, walked across the square and took the place of Hon. F. B. Carvell as minister of public works.

No announcement is yet made as to the customs portfolio, but it is quite possible that when Hon. Martin Burrell, secretary of state, goes out, H. H. Stevens, of Vancouver, will become minister of customs and the new secretary of state will come from New Brunswick.

By this move Mr. Sifton heads a live spending department, and considerable interest attaches to the change.

Armenians Fear Massacre

London.—Responsible authorities in Armenia continue to emphasize the exceedingly grave situation that must follow the withdrawal of British troops. There are conclusive indications that as soon as the withdrawal occurs the Armenians will be attacked from the east and southwest by Tartars, Kurds and Turks, who will likely form a combined force under Turkish officers. The Kurds and Tartars are already moving towards Erivan, the Armenian capital, to be in readiness to strike when the Armenians are left defenceless.

Warn Income Tax Dodgers

Winnipeg.—A local paper, in a special dispatch from Ottawa, states that prosecution of income tax dodgers will begin this week, according to a report from the Department of Finance. The department, it is said, plans vigorous prosecution of all persons who failed to file a return on their income or who gave false information. Several Montreal and Halifax business men and several prominent westerners are in the line for early prosecution, it is reported.

U.S. Navy To Go to Great Prince Vancouver.—Hon. Joseph Daniels, secretary of the United States navy, will send part of his Pacific fleet to Vancouver on September 22, when the Prince of Wales is to be here. Mr. Daniels wired city officials that while he would not be able to be present himself, he would be pleased to send part of the fleet, and would "make such arrangements as possible." Mr. Daniels is to visit Victoria on a dreadnought on September 11.

Germans Must Fulfill Peace Terms

Allies Will Show Firmness in Having Peace Treaty Fully Carried Out

Paris.—Commenting upon the action of the peace conference in simultaneously handling Austria, in final form, the peace terms, framed for her acceptance, and the delivery to Germany of the note demanding a change in the German constitution to eliminate the provision for the selection of Austrian representatives to the German parliament, the Paris newspapers declare this was not a simple coincidence. It means, the press argues, at once a firm resolution by the Allies to insist upon respect for the terms of the German treaty as regards Austria, and the definite end of the Danubian monarchy.

Wilson Will Consult People

Going on Stump for Peace Treaty

All Over States

Washington.—President Wilson has left on his western speaking tour on behalf of the peace treaty, confident of ratification of the instrument by the senate without amendments or "destructive reservations" which would require re-negotiation.

The trip, perhaps the most arduous ever undertaken by a President, will carry Mr. Wilson and his party as far west as the Pacific coast, almost to the Canadian border on the north and almost to Mexico on the south. He will speak in every state west of the Mississippi except four, and will make up for the omission of these by speeches in Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and Tennessee. In Seattle he will review the Pacific fleet.

Although it is expected that the President will devote most of his attention to the peace treaty, he probably will also touch on the high cost of living and other domestic problems.

Rumors Waste In Navy

Admiral Fisher Suggests Money Might Now Be Reserved for Better Things Than Fleets

London.—A protest couched in vigorous language in the Times by Lord Fisher on naval expenditure has evoked interesting comments. Lord Fisher declared against alleged incredible and ruinous waste in the navy, which now costs one hundred and forty million pounds sterling annually, as compared with thirty-four million in 1904. Notwithstanding that the German fleet does not exist, Lord Fisher declares that half the navy is already obsolete and should be scrapped and says that the other half will be equally useless in a few years because of internal combustion engines and oil.

Lord Fisher concludes: "If the nation does not sack the spendthrifts, the day of crumbling is not far off."

\$30,000 for Grubstakes

Dawson.—The Dawson city's welcoming and re-establishment committee for returned soldiers has adopted resolutions asking the Federal Government for \$30,000 for relief of returned men who arrived back here too late to earn a winter grubstake, or who are physically unfit, and asking particularly that soldier-maimed be given this assistance in lieu of land grants.

New Zealand Agrees

Wellington, N.Z.—The peace treaty with Germany was unanimously ratified by parliament, after members of the Labor party had criticized the pact.

Oil Find at The Pas

Winnipeg.—Reports reaching here from The Pas, Man., state that a discovery of crude oil of great commercial value has been made 20 miles southwest of The Pas.

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Aviators Take Up Life On Ranch

To Breed Horses, Cattle and Sheep and Grow Cotton

London.—A party of former officers of the British forces held a meeting here with the purpose of getting acquainted preparatory to their departure for Central America, where they will take up life on a ranch under the supervision of Brig-Gen. Alfred Critchley, former commander of the Royal Air Force.

Brig-Gen. Critchley originated the plan, in recognition of the desire on the part of many other demobilized officers for healthy sporting and adventurous open-air life, combined with unlimited possibilities of a commercial nature.

On the ranch, which is located in the centre of a well-stocked sporting area, it is proposed to breed horses and cattle and sheep, and grow cotton and other crops. The estate belongs to General Critchley.

It is planned to divide the land among the members of the party after the first year spent on it. All the members of the party who will make the trip are bachelors, but married men, who are former officers of the British forces, will be welcomed to membership in the club after the inauguration of the enterprise.

Brig-Gen. Critchley, who was born in Calgary 29 years ago, is widely known in Canada as a sportsman, hunting, polo, golf and tennis being his favorite pastimes. He was a member of the Lord Strathcona Horse at the outbreak of the war and served with the Canadian Division. He was awarded the D.S.O. in 1915.

Army Food Going Cheap

Prices Slashed to Meet Cut Made By Chain of Grocery Stores

New York.—Sale of surplus army food in New York took on the aspect of a cut rate war, when Market Commissioner Day, in charge of sales, announced that prices of canned soups had been slashed to meet a cut in soup prices made by a chain of grocery stores following army food sale.

The army soup originally was sold at nine and ten cents a can, which was below the price chain stores were asking for similar products. The chain stores cut their prices to three cents for 25 cent cans. Commissioner Day's new price for army soup is seven cents a can.

Commissioner Day also announced revision downward of the prices charged for army bacon, beans, corn, peas, condensed milk, corn syrup and canned tomatoes. All these staples now are being sold at prices considerably below those fixed by the fair price committee, he said.

According to Commissioner Day, the army food sales have totalled over \$500,000 in eight days, and at the present rate the supply of army food will have been exhausted in two more weeks.

Cheaper Meat for New Yorkers

New York.—The retail price of meat has declined from one to two cents a pound in this city, according to Arthur Williams, federal food administrator, who has just issued his semi-weekly fair price list. In the matter of groceries, however, the campaign against the pool has not been so successful, as most of the items under this head have increased slightly.

Arrest Mexican Outlaws

Washington.—Outlaws responsible for the murder of John W. Correll, and will be placed on trial at Tampico, the Mexican embassy has announced. The arrests were made near Los Mochis and included Ramon Diaz, chief, and his followers, Rafael Ruiz, Francisco Gamboa, Blas Vidal and Francisco Valverde.

Prince Will Unveil Statue

London.—The statue of Queen Victoria, purchased by the British Columbia government before the war for placing in front of the government buildings at Victoria, is being shipped, and it is hoped that it will arrive in time for the Prince of Wales to unveil. The statue has been at the Royal Exchange.

Feasibility Of Airplane For Commercial Use

Australians To Learn Dry Farming

Hundred Picked Veterans Will Study Methods in United States

New York.—One hundred picked Australian soldiers will arrive in New York on the steamship Celtic, en route to the University of California, where they will take a twelve months' course in farming. It was announced here. They will return home and teach Australian soldier farmers scientific agronomy and irrigation.

The Australian Commonwealth recently appropriated nearly \$250,000 for the aid of returned soldiers and sailors in obtaining land holdings. Believing that a large number of veterans will go into agriculture, the government has sent the Australian delegation to the United States to study modern farming methods.

100,000 Germans Escaped Service

Switzerland Leads Neutral Countries With 40,000 Deserters

Geneva.—Nearly 100,000 officers and men are considered deserters from the German army during the war, according to Munich advices. Included in this number are many thousands who were in England and America at the outbreak and were prevented from joining the German army, "although advised beforehand to join the colors," the dispatch says.

Switzerland leads the neutral countries with forty thousand deserters. A proclamation of amnesty to these men has been issued if they will return to Germany this year, but many former German soldiers in this country refuse to go back, fearing that they will be placed in the ranks once more because the allies have permitted Germany to retain her army on a war footing until the end of 1919. The amnesty proclamation does not apply to those accused of treason.

Cheap Meat For U.S.

Five Million Pounds of Frozen Food Made Available By the Government

Washington.—Five million pounds of frozen meats, now in cold storage in New York and Chicago, were offered by the War Department to municipalities for sale. The offer will remain in effect until September 25, at which time other methods of marketing such portions of the stock are to be considered.

The meats in storage include about 1,120,000 pounds of frozen poultry at New York and more than 1,000,000 pounds in the Chicago zone. This will be sold at 32 cents per pound. Large quantities of frozen mutton and pork shoulders and loins also will be offered from 16 to 27 cents. Since these products can only be transported in refrigerator cars, no order for less than a carload lot will be accepted.

German Doctors for Russian Army

Berlin.—The medical journals in Germany are publishing advertisements offering positions to German physicians and surgeons in the Russian army. Attractive pay and the right of securing homesteads is promised them.

Medical men are urged to enlist with volunteer troop units organized for fighting Bolshevism and are promised a premium of 5,000 marks if the counter-revolution is successful.

To Protect Salmon

Washington, D.C.—A treaty between the United States and Great Britain for the protection of sock-eye salmon of the Fraser river system was signed at the state department. Secretary Lansing signed for the United States, and R. C. Lindsay, in charge of the British embassy, and Chief Justice John Douglas Hazen, of Canada, signed for the British Government.

London.—The Air Minister states that the demonstration flights recently carried out to Scandinavian countries by a flying boat of the Royal Air Force proved to be remarkably successful.

Starting from Felixstowe and proceeding via Dundee, the machine flew direct to Norway and landed at Christiansand, this being the first occasion on which the journey has been accomplished by a British seaplane. From Christiansand the trip continued by stages to Christiania, Copenhagen, Stockholm, Gossburg, Esbjerg and back to Felixstowe, a total distance of 2,450 sea miles, which was covered in a total flying time of 40 hours and 40 minutes.

The flight was made entirely as a demonstration of the commercial use of flying boats, and it is noteworthy, because no mishap of any kind occurred, despite the fact that from its departure until its return to Felixstowe the machine spent a total of 27 days on the water or in the air. Exhibition and passenger carrying flights were carried out at Christiania, Christiansand and Copenhagen.

The first exhibition flights were made before the King and Queen of Norway, and the Queen expressed a desire to fly, her Majesty was taken up on two occasions seated beside the pilot. Her Majesty was keenly interested in his manipulation of the controls and during the second flight when the Queen was accompanied by the Crown Prince, her Majesty actually took control of the flying boat for a short period. A very good impression was created in each of the Scandinavian visitors and it is hoped valuable results will accrue to the British aircraft industry in return, up what is perhaps the best market in the world for water-gauging crafts.

Made In Germany

Story of Proposed Attack Upon Petrograd Without Foundation

London.—It has been ascertained that the dispatch from Berlin giving German reports from Riga to the effect that Gen. Gough, of the British army, had issued a proclamation to the population of Petrograd that an attack was about to be made on that city is untrue.

Gen. Gough left Helsingfors August 19 for home, and at the present time is in England. He did not see Admiral Covan, commander of the British naval forces, operating in the Baltic sea, before his departure for home.

Threw Bomb at Governor

Tokio.—Admiral received here from Seoul, capital of Korea, state that a bomb was thrown at Governor-General Saito and that twenty persons were wounded, including an American woman named Harrison, who is believed to be related to Carter Harrison, former Mayor of Chicago. Governor-General Saito was not wounded. No further details were received.

After Due Deliberation

Lexington, Ky.—"Uncle Johnny" Shell, described as "the oldest man in the world," has just celebrated his 131st birthday by sending for a life insurance agent. "You never can tell what'll happen soon," he told the agent, "and I want to prepare for the worst."

Have to Wait Their Turn

London.—The C.P.O.s. have a waiting list of 5,000 people for transportation to Canada. The Canadian company list will not be cleared until the end of November, and it is said that over 500 applicants call at the company's office daily.

Pershing's Rank Permanent

Washington.—President Wilson has signed the bill making permanent the rank of General John J. Pershing, commander of the expeditionary force.

No man ever comes half way up to the expectations his mother had of him when he was a boy.

The Golden Straw Stack of the Future

The time is coming when the farmer, like the packer and manufacturer, will not allow a single pound of his products to be wasted. That will not be parsimony, but good business. In the past there has been wanton waste of straw, and similar by-products of farming. In the future these will be considered main products, and they will be used in many ways to add to the value of farms and the net profits of farming.

Not many years ago cotton seed from the gin was heaped in great piles outside to lie and weather and rot, like the straw stack of the present day. Now cotton seed is almost "worth its weight in gold" for fertilizer, feed, food, condiments and other things that represent real coin of the realm. Dairymen and beef-cattle finishers could scarcely keep their cattle in fit condition for maximum gains at the present time without the use of commercial cottonseed meal as a concentrated protein to mix with and balance other cattle feeds. And the oil of cotton seed is worth many millions, being used in dozens of ways in the manufacture of foods, and no doubt in dozens of other ways the layman never knows or dreams of.

If our annual small grain crops run into the billions of bushels, then our annual straw crops must run into tens of billions of pounds. Conservatively, not one-tenth of this gigantic by-product is saved and used as it might be, and as it should be. If the straw crop were simply saved and used in the simplest known way—that is for fertilizer—it would represent hundreds of millions of added wealth to our soils, and would yield in enormously increased crop yields.

New Ranching Enterprise

Major Goldman Will Start Business on Large Scale

Major C. S. Goldman, M.P., for Penryn and Falmouth in the Imperial House of Commons, has just purchased 14,000 acres of land in the Okanagan, British Columbia, constituting the entire area between the towns of Merritt and Nicola. It is his intention to bring in several hundred head of cattle and several thousand sheep, and to go in for ranching on a fairly extensive scale. The property was formerly owned by quite a large number of people, but legal complications in connection with water rights made it comparatively easy for one man to acquire control.

Major Goldman, who was formerly editor of *The Outlook*, proposes making his home on his ranch, but will also have other interests in the coast province. He has completed an extensive tour of the north end of Alaska and the Yukon. He is of the opinion that individual prospecting has about come to an end, and that for future development large sections of country should be leased to big companies, who would send out prospectors on systematic surveys for mineral indications. In this way the approximate resources of the entire northern portion of the continent could be known in a very few years, and practical development follow.

Would Be Late

A sailor who was spending the evening of his life in the country, was very proud of his watch, which for nearly thirty years had never once gone wrong.

Early one morning he roused a visitor who was staying with him, and together they set out to see the sun rise. The host kept consulting his watch, and then a calendar which gave him times of the sun's rising and setting.

There was a long wait in the pale dawn. Presently, tapping his watch with his forefinger, the sailor said:

"If the sun ain't over that hill in a minute and a half, he'll be late."

Obedient Orders

"You have a nerve to ignore the traffic officer."

"Couldn't help it, judge. I was driving the car according to instructions promulgated by my wife from the rear seat."

What Man Is Made Of

Scientifically Explained, the Ingredients Have Many Possibilities

A writer in *The Electrical Experimenter* asks the old question, "What is man?" and submits a "scientific" answer as follows:

"A man weighing 150 pounds will contain approximately 3,500 cubic feet of gas—oxygen, hydrogen and nitrogen—in his constitution, which at 80 cents a thousand cubic feet would be worth \$280 for illuminating purposes. He also contains all the necessary fats to make a 15-pound candle, and thus, together with his 3,500 cubic feet of gases, he possesses considerable illuminating possibilities. His system contains 22 pounds, and 10 ounces of carbon, or enough to make 780 dozen, or 9,360 lead pencils. There are about 50 grains of iron in his blood, and the rest of the body would supply enough of this metal to make one spike large enough to hold his weight. A healthy man contains 54 ounces of phosphorus. This deadly poison would make 800,000 matches, or enough poison to kill 50 persons. This, with two ounces of lime, makes the stiff bones and brains. No matter how stout a man looks he contains about 60 pounds of sugar of the ordinary chemical dimensions, and to make the seasoning complete there are 20 spoonfuls of salt. If a man were distilled into water he would make about 38 quarts or more than half his entire weight. He also contains a great deal of starch, chloride of potash, magnesium, sulphur and hydrochloric acid in his wonderful human system."

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Deaths Due To The War

Total Casualties Of Allies Placed At 20,901,435

According to a computation made by the *New York Times*, from the most authoritative or official statistics, the deaths directly due to the war or indirectly inflicted by it number between 16,000,000 and 20,000,000, over 7,000,000 of which were military, and over 10,000,000 civilians. Of the civilian deaths, over 10,000 were directly caused and nearly 10,000,000 indirectly caused by it. The total casualties of the allies is placed at 20,901,435 and of the Central Powers 12,492,247. Of the killed the Allies contributed 11,075,715, and the Central Powers 12,812,542. Great Britain is reported to have lost 515,890 in killed, Canada 60,383, Australia 54,031, India 28,000, France 1,385,300, Italy 460,000, Russia, 1,200,000, Serbia 322,000, the United States 49,498 and Belgium 20,000.

The Dog Comes Into His Own

During the past four years the dog has given such a proof of his faithfulness that all over the world his praises are being sounded. From the very beginning of the war, dogs "had a paw in it." When the Germans invaded Belgium, the harness dogs, which up to that time had been used for hauling milk, vegetables and other produce, began to assist the refugees in getting their children and household goods out of the invaded country. Later they hauled light cannon and cars laden with blankets, bread, hay and scores of other things for the comfort of the soldiers and their horses. Dogs did sentry duty in the trenches, patrolled No Man's Land, carried dispatches through barbed wire entanglements, and a hail of bullets, and, above all, added glory to their race by seeking out and helping the wounded everywhere, on battlefields of Europe and elsewhere.

Hubby: "Isn't there something odd about the taste of these onions, dear?"

Wife (anxiously): "Oh, I hope not—I took such pains with them, darling. I sprinkled them with lavender water before boiling them, to take away the unpleasant odor."

Tourist Traffic In Canadian Rockies

British Columbia Having Surveys Made for Construction of Permanent Roadway

Prince George, B.C.—With a view to developing tourist traffic through the northern Canadian Rockies and the north Pacific coast country, the British Columbia government are having surveys made for the construction of a permanent roadway and bridge over the Fraser river to make the Mount Robson country accessible for the rapidly increasing tourist traffic that this Canadian wonderland is enjoying.

The Hon. D. J. H. King, minister of public works, is responsible for this improvement, and Mr. Hugh Taylor, bridge and road engineer, for the Fort George district, went over the ground with representatives of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway and selected a site at one of the finest scenic points near the junction of the Fraser and Grand Forks river for a high level bridge. Construction work on this bridge will be started immediately.

How To Fight Bolshevism

Representation of Labor Is Safeguard Against Revolutionary Movements

At the Canadian Club in Ottawa, General Currie said that he had heard of a flood of Bolshevism literature being sent to the government to flood the country with literature of the right kind, in order that the other might be overcome and Canada made the kind of country for which the men of the expeditionary forces had fought and sacrificed during the war years.

How should Bolshevist propaganda be answered? One way is to show the evil effects of a Bolshevist rule in Russia. That is good enough so far as it goes, but a better way still is to show that in Canada we have something better than Bolshevism, that our system is better for the masses of the people than Bolshevism. A keen and genuine interest in social reform is one of the safeguards against Bolshevist propaganda. Those who object to the sympathy shown by the churches with labor are on the wrong track. The more the churches sympathize with labor the less danger of Bolshevism.

The representation of labor in parliament and the provincial legislatures is another safeguard against revolutionary movements. Bolshevism despises representative institutions, and says they are shams and delusions, and they are merely tools of the plutocracy. Do not be content with merely saying that this is false. Make our institutions so democratic and truly representative that they will be dear to the hearts of the people, encourage labor representation; let the workman and his employer meet face to face in parliament. Establish proper representation, so that all kinds of opinion will be reflected in our legislative bodies.—Toronto Star.

More Alberta Cattle For Belgium

P. Burns and Company, the well-known packing and ranching company of Calgary, Alberta, have this week shipped another consignment of about 700 head of beef cattle, principally cows, to Philadelphia, from which port the consignment will go to Belgium.

A Repeater

He: You know I love you—will you marry me?
She: But, my dear boy, I refused you only a week ago.
He: Oh! was that you?

"Yes, in teaching stenography, we have had a lot of success in things."
"How are you on speed?"
"Well, the last girl we graduated married her employer in three weeks."—Judge.

No Trading In Bad Eggs

Bad eggs cannot be traded in Alberta. The statute books of the province contain a law forbidding it. By this the Department of Agriculture hopes to establish very soon a record for eggs similar to the butter record of the province.

An overloaded motor car is almost as safe as an unloaded gun.

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Have the Turks

Become Mad?

The Glorious Scarlet

The Military Spirit of the Old Army of Deathless Fame

It has been urged that the use of khaki in the war has established a new record, and has eliminated the old sentiment attaching to the English scarlet, so famous on many a hard-wood field. We cannot subscribe to this opinion, which probably emanates from those who have never donned scarlet or who are ignorant of the great history of their country. Indeed, the whole movement for the adoption of khaki for full dress, as on all other occasions, can surely only have arisen in the minds of those who have seen nothing else. Excellent as the services of these men have been, they can in no sense be imbued in this matter with the military spirit of the Old Army of deathless fame, and that is the spirit we would like to see preserved. It was the spirit that carried out the retreat from Mons; that stood at Le Cateau; that recovered from apparent disaster, turned fiercely on the enemy on the Marne, and drove him back headlong into the jaws of the Aisne. It was the spirit that held the thin line, though no longer red except with the blood of heroes, before Ypres, and performed an almost superhuman task in the defence of the Cuffin. It was the spirit that held the old red-clad infantryman. We desire in no way to depreciate those who have been called up to new formations since the beginning of the war. Their deeds have been altogether worthy of the great traditions which they inherited together with the titles of their corps. They have established a new tradition, and an imperishable one that will last so long as written history is recorded in the chronicles of the world. But they would be the first to acknowledge, and they have generously acknowledged, the debt they owe to the example, the method, the training given to them by the Old Army. If they have not also adopted its uniform, that has been due to the exigencies of war, not to a disregard for the famous scarlet that in the past furnished the brave manhood of the British, which in modern conditions have rendered it appropriate for use upon the field of battle.—Times of India.

Big Lumber Export

Reports Indicate Much Activity in Lumber Industry of B.C.

Twelve million feet of the British lumber order of 73,000,000 feet has been shipped from Vancouver, and it is hoped that 40,000,000 feet will be on the way before the end of the year. If the denouement of the war is put in operation, the shipments will be increased greatly, as these cars are expected to carry from 3,000,000 to 5,000,000 feet each. Reports from all the lumbering districts indicate much activity in that industry. For the first six months of the year the lumber manufacturers of the mountain districts of British Columbia shipped to the United States and eastern markets 40,000,000 feet, as compared with 5,000,000 for the corresponding period last year. Despite the falling-off in orders from the prairies owing to the disappointing crop, big orders continue to come in from the east and from across the border. The same report comes from the coast and inland lumbermen, who have been reaching out for foreign orders since the close of the war.

A certain colored gentleman in Maine was left a widower in his old age. Not very long after he suddenly announced his intention to marry again, adding, half apologetically: "But, mah friend, Ah never would have thought of it if mah Louie hadn't died!"

Willing to Help

"A quarter's worth of carbolic acid, please," said the depressed looking man.

"This is a hardware shop," said the salesman, regretfully, "so we don't handle it. But isn't there anything I can do for you in our special lines of ropes, razors and revolvers?" —Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

The news from Turkey is past all understanding and belief. If Germany should reorganize her army in full view of the Allies and attempt to invade Belgium we should have a parallel to the action now ascribed to the government of Turkey. If there is a possibility of competition in such horrors, Armenia was worse than Belgium, and now the correspondents inform us that the Turks, in conjunction with the Tartars, and ably led, are advancing from three directions upon helpless Armenia determined on a war of extermination. These facts are incredible. Not that anybody is likely to doubt that the Turks are equal to just such a display of inhuman cruelty. They have taught us better than to put a breath of trust in their humanity or to give them credit for a moment of compunction. But they have no sense of the storm of vengeance such a war would evoke to sweep the remnants of an Ottoman empire into the Mediterranean or bury it under the sands of Asia Minor. Is Mustafa Kaimil Pasha, the "Director of National Defense," unable to read and deal likewise to rumor? Does he "not know that though there have been voices raised for Germany, the arch-enemy, no voice has been lifted in Europe, nor will be, to say any word of execution that may be issued to cure the sick man of his many diseases by extreme penalty? Has no conception of the fact that an army of volunteers could be raised overnight in the United States to put the Turkish empire out of business for ever?"

Moreover, it will be raised, and there will be no more Sultans in Europe, happily none at all anywhere, these expeditions against Armenia should turn out, as has been predicted. If true. But if the Turks intend really to profit by the present display, let them use it to show the Allies how exemplary they can be. The indictment against them is heavy enough. They will find even justice easier on them than the black wrath of a civilization.—New York Globe.

Silos And Silage

Stands Ever as an Insurance Against Forage Failures

The silo is the most economic equipment for the storing of forage. When space is considered, eight times more feed can be kept in a silo than in a haystack. It would be difficult indeed to construct a barn which would hold 200 or 300 tons of forage, while it is as easy and simple matter to put up a silo that would hold this amount. There is less deterioration in silage than in hay, in holding over dry fodder. I have seen excellent silage that was six years old, and this same silage was fed successfully to cattle, which seemed as fresh as the new silage.

The silo stands ever as an insurance against forage failures, especially damages by frost and drought. Any kind of feed which can be grown can be saved in the silo, though it may not mature a grain crop. It makes farming more secure, and warrants a cheap and excellent forage for all kinds of stock in both winter and summer seasons.

Capacity of Canadian Elevators

For the year 1917-18 the total average capacity of the 3,600 grain elevators in Canada was 211,591,800 bushels, these figures representing an increase from a total of 523 elevators and warehouses with a capacity of 18,329,352 bushels in 1900-01. Under the Canada Grain Act, 1912, the Dominion Government has power itself to erect and operate terminal grain elevators. Five such elevators are already in operation, and are situated respectively at Port Arthur, Ontario; Saskatoon, Saskatchewan; Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan; Calgary, Alberta; and Vancouver, British Columbia.

Britain Appreciates Welcome

London.—The greatest interest is taken in the cables describing the wonderful reception accorded the *People of War* in Canada, but it is most unfortunate that cable congestion, which showed signs of improvement, has again become acute, special messages arriving two days or more late.

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Estrays

IMPOUNDED.—On Saturday, June 14, in the Municipal District of Rosebud No. 280 pound, situate on sec. 28, 28, 28, w. 4th, One Black Gelding, about 4 years old. No Brand; also one Bay Horse, about 5 years old, weight about 1,200 lbs. No Brand.

D. HILLS,
Poundkeeper.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Office of the Secretary, Treasurer on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8:30 o'clock p.m.

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Local and General

The Women's Institute will meet on Saturday, the 27th September, at 3 p.m. in the I.O.O.F. Hall.

Mrs. L. Lewis will speak on War Work.

Serg.-Major Carnie, of Brisbane, Australia, was a visitor to town on Thursday in connection with the coming Chautauqua, Oct. 13, 14 and 15. He saw service in the Boer War, and in connection with the great war at Gallipoli, Mesopotamia and France. He received a military medal for distinguished service. He found arrangements well under way for the coming Chautauqua.

Wanted: Listings on Land.—D. P. Hays, Carstairs, Alberta.

Concert Friday, the 26th. An excellent programme will be given at the concert in the Union Church. In addition to the regular numbers a special feature will be "The Troublesome Servant." Programs for the occasion will be printed. The entertainment is being held under the auspices of the Ladies Aid and the proceeds will be devoted to Church improvements. Do not fail to attend this interesting local event.

This week appears to have been moving week in town, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Armstrong moved to Carstairs on Monday, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Hunter moving into the house the Armstrongs vacated. Fred Pullen and family moved from the house on Hammond street to the premises over the Garage. Mr. and Mrs. Oylar are going into the house left by Mr. and Mrs. Pullen. We hear Mr. and Mrs. D. Gunning are going to commence housekeeping in the house vacated by Mr. and Mrs. Oylar. Not a bad change for one week at any rate.

STRAYS

Strayed from T. K. Nelson's home, N.-E. 1/4 of Sec. 25, T. 29, R. 20, W. 4th Mer., 11 miles east of Penhold, One light driving Team of Dark Brown Mare, wgt. 1,000 lbs., each, age 4 and 5 years. Both shod in front. Foretops clipped July 15th.

One is Branded Box H as cut on right hip, 2 white hind feet, small white strip in face over nose, small swelling at navel, range built. One has no brand, 1 white front foot, 2 black white feet, short tail mixed with grey hair, rather chunky built.

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